To Kill a Mockingbird

Chapter 21 (276 or 206)

Vocabulary: indignant(adj), exhilarated(adj), remorse(n), fretful(adj), scurry(v)

- 6. Where have Jem and Scout been sitting during the trial?
- 7. What did Reverend Sykes think about Judge Taylor's performance in court?
- 8. Why is Reverend Sykes less confident about the verdict than Jem?
- 9. How does a jury act toward a defendant it has convicted?
- 10. After the conviction, what does Reverend Sykes ask of Scout?

Chapter 22(284 or 212)

Vocabulary: impassive(adj), cynical(adj), aggravate(v), bridgework(n), heathen(adj)

- 1. Why is Jem crying? Do his tears suggest part of his "coming of age" journey?*
- 2. Why does Atticus's eyes fill with tears? Is this an act of benevolence? Explain.
- 3. What is Miss Rachel's reaction to the events of the day? Is her attitude like many in Maycomb?
- 4. What does Miss Maudie say that some men are born to do? Is her attitude like most people?
- 5. What did Mr. Ewell do?